

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please amend paragraphs [0005] and [0018] as shown below, in which insertions are indicated by underline and deletions are indicated by strikethrough or double brackets.**

Paragraph [0005]      In order to solve the problem noted above, a light guide according to an embodiment of the invention has such a configuration that it emits lights incident on an end face from an emitting face disposed along the longitudinal direction while having the lights reflected by two internal side faces thereof, the sectional shapes of side faces in a direction orthogonal to the longitudinal direction (the shapes of the two side faces along the longitudinal direction) have two oval arc curves or two paraboloid curves, and the concentrating or focusing position of lights reflected by one side face and the concentrating or focusing position of lights reflected by the other side face are different from each other.

Paragraph [0018]      The best modes for carrying out the present invention will be described below with reference to the accompanying drawings. Figure 1 is a diagram showing the sectional shape of an elongate, bar-shaped light guide in a first mode for carrying out the invention.